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Inventor: Kurt W. Getreuer  
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OPTICAL DISC SYSTEM INCLUDING SAME  
Atty. Docket No.: 951028(US)USC1X1X1D1 MMMI

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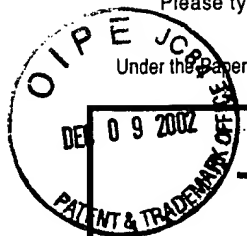
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A concise explanation of the relevance of the listed item not in the English language is as follows:

DE 3607637 A1: Shows a laser disc recording system which has a track following device with respective servo loops for coarse and fine positing and tracking errors are eliminated, and the laser beam can be positioned on a desired track and scan it with high precision at high speed and it is suitable for data processing and storage systems.

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Applicant kindly requests that the Examiner review all of the references submitted herewith and enter each as a matter of record herein. Applicant further requests that a signed and initialed copy of the Form PTO 1449 be returned to Applicant's mailing address.

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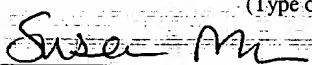
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